

the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed by the House on May 5, 2015: Yeas 144, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 2812 on May 26, 2015: Yeas 143, Nays 1, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 22, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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## DEFINITION OF HOMELAND SECURITY ACTIVITY

### CHAPTER 798

H.B. No. 2827

#### AN ACT

relating to the definition of homeland security activity.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Section 421.001(3), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(3) "Homeland security activity" means any activity related to the prevention or discovery of, response to, or recovery from:

(A) a terrorist attack; [;]

(B) a natural or man-made disaster; [;]

(C) a hostile military or paramilitary action; [~~or~~]

(D) an extraordinary law enforcement emergency; or

(E) a fire or medical emergency requiring resources beyond the capabilities of a local jurisdiction.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed by the House on April 23, 2015: Yeas 136, Nays 3, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 26, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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## AUTHORITY OF A MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION FOR CERTAIN PERSONS, INCLUDING EMPLOYEES, INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS, AND VOLUNTEERS

### CHAPTER 799

H.B. No. 2828

#### AN ACT

relating to the authority of a municipality or county to obtain criminal history record information for certain persons, including employees, independent contractors, and volunteers.